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EARTH DAY CLEAN UP IN BLOOMINGTON

County of San Bernardino and Bloomington Community Boosters provide free trash and tire collection containers

(San Bernardino, CA) In celebration of Earth Day, Bloomington residents are throwing out their trash and tires for free on Saturday, April 23.

San Bernardino County Fifth District Supervisor Josie Gonzales, Bloomington Community Boosters, county Code Enforcement and county Solid Waste will provide trash and tire collection containers for the free removal of accumulated trash.

The containers will be available from 8 a.m. to 12 noon at 12th Street and Linden Avenue in Bloomington.

Last year this program removed 140 tons of trash and debris from the community of Bloomington. Organizers hope to make this year an even bigger success.

Bring your trash and tires to the designated containers. All tires must be removed from rims and the maximum size is 11" x 25.5" (car and light truck tires only).

Also throw out the following items to help us clean up our community:

- Scrap metal
- Old appliances
- Household trash
- Yard waste
- Furniture
- Cement

Hazardous materials such as TVs, computer monitors, motor oil, oil filters, paint, paint thinners, and batteries will not be accepted. To dispose of these types of items please call 1-800-OILY-CAT to find the hazardous waste location nearest you.

While cleaning up around your house, don't forget to dump all standing water to prevent the breeding of mosquitoes and spread of the West Nile Virus.

For more information please contact Terri Martinez, field representative for Supervisor Gonzales, at (909) 387-4565; or David Soto, president of the Bloomington Community Boosters, at (909) 421-1077.

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